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ment in our late unhappy and lamented civil war. In consideration of these services the President has directed me to depart from the rate which I have mentioned, and to commend the Licutemant General, with the members of his family and the friends who shall accompany him, to the hospitable and respectful attention of the diplomatic and commercial representatives of the United Flates at such piaces as shall be visited by the Licutemant General. You will, therefore, do whatever can properly be done on your part to premote the General's observations, and his sequalitance with the governments and public character of the countries in which you reside. You are authorized if it shall in any case become necessary, to say that aithough the tour of the Licutemant General has no purpose or object affecting the United States in her foreign relations, yet the interest which the President feels in behalf of General Sherman, personally and officially, will cause the attention which he may receive in foreign States to be hughly and gratefully appreciated by the government and people of the United States.

The Secretary of the Navy has given orders to supply the steamship Quaker City and her party of excursionists with a battery of guns, and a sufficient quantity of ammunition and flags, to be used in returning salutes given by governments or communities abroad.

Nemination of an Assessor of Internal Revenue.

The President has sent to the Senate the name of John Foley, of New York city, for confirmation as Assessor of Internal Revenue for the Eight district of New York. Mr. Foley served with credit through the late rebellion as captain of Volunteers, and has since returned to the commercial pursuits in which his character and fortune were originally made.

Mr. Chandler, (rep.) of Mich., offered a resolution, which was agreed to, directing the Secretary of the Treasury to Inform the Senate whether he or any one has authorized and employed an attorney or solicitor to represent the department before the Court of Claims in a pending suit, and if so what counsel or solicitor to represent the department before the Court of Claims in a pending suit, and if so what counsel or solicitor to represent the department before the Court of Claims in a pending suit, and if so what counsel or solicitor to represent the department of the pending suit, and what fee is to be paid him for his services, and out of what fund and under what law or authority he has been so employed.

International that the Senate, on Saturday part, at four o'clock, adjourn rine die.

Mr. SCHEMEN, (rep.) of Mass., hoped the resolution would be postponed until to morrow, as the Senate was not now in a condition to fix a day. There were many vacancies, and it was the duty of the Senate, so far as they could, to see that they were filled.

Mr. Hows, (rep.) of Wis, asked the Senator how by remaining here they could have these vacancies filled. It was soid yesterday there were fifty vacancies and that some of the offices had been vacant sine risonths. They should have been filled by Senators remaining here?

Mr. SCHARE replied—By rejecting nominations which were bad and confirming those which were good. He feared there would be comparatively but few good ones. He should do all he could to insure the appointment of good officers who are on the right side, who agree with Congress and who sustain the policy which Congress had declared.

Mr. MORRILL, (rep.) of Me., did not see how the day of allowerness could be were bade. He caused to be read

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